

CARRANZA PLANS TO OCCUPY CAPITAL

Leader of Constitutionalists Will Set Up Provisional Government in Mexico.

HEADS IN HIS CABINET TO BE CALLED CHIEFS

Ignores Titles to Avoid Charges of Illegality—Loan Secured to Finance Enterprise

Detailed plans for the formation of a provisional government by the constitutionalists in Mexico were given out here today and indicated that a campaign mapped out by Gen. Carranza, the "first chief" of the constitutionalists, included a steady advance of his troops with the object of capturing the city.

According to the information given out here, Carranza will not take the title of provisional president, although his position will correspond to that of Madero when he assumed that title. He will continue to call himself "first chief." He will form a provisional cabinet, but the heads of the different departments will call themselves chiefs instead of ministers.

This policy has been adopted, it was said here, because of the desire of Gen. Carranza to avoid anything which is not constitutional and to leave alone high sounding titles which mean nothing. His provisional government will be military in character, although several civilians are to be placed in the cabinet.

To Confer With Carranza.
Francisco Escudero, until recently Carranza's representative in Washington, is due to arrive at Hermosillo, the constitutionalist headquarters, tonight. Immediately after he confers with General Carranza the provisional government is to be formed. Senor Escudero is to be chief of the department of finance in the new government.

Before leaving for Hermosillo Seno Escudero made arrangements for a loan to the constitutionalists, to be secured by

a lien on the customs of the state of Sonora, which is completely controlled by the constitutionalists. The bonds for the loan were today in the hands of Pere Romero, brother-in-law of the late President.

signed, but this formality is expected to be carried out within the next few days. While reports have placed the loan at \$100,000, it was said here today that it probably will not be quite that large. Some of the money is to be used in purchasing vessels for the use of the coast guards in capturing seacoast towns now controlled by the federales.

The campaign plans of the constitutionalists, it is said, is to cut off federal armies, whenever possible, and gradually wear them out.

Word received here regarding the plans of Gen. Huerta indicate that he has embarked on a determined campaign to put down the revolution prior to the 29th when the general elections are scheduled. He is sending troops into territory hither to left to the constitutionalists.

Dispatches were received here today

telling of the recapture by constitutionalists of Monclova. Much importance was attached to the news because Monclova is between the main army of Gen. Maas, who has been marching on Piedras Negras, and his base of supplies. The word received here was that the rear of Gen. Maas' federal army had been separated from the main column.

The constitutionalists are said to be getting large quantities of arms and ammunition by way of British Honduras, through the Gulf of Mexico.

Organizing for Elections.
MEXICO, October 6.—Federico Gamboa, nominee of the Catholic party for the presidency; Manuel Calero, liberal candidate, and the followers of Gen. Felix Diaz are pushing the work of organization for the elections October 28. The

Government officials regard federal successes during the past week as a "death blow" to the organized revolution in the north. The defeat of the rebels at Santa Cecilia appears to the

confirmed. Advice from Gen. Samuel E. Mercado, military governor of the state of Chihuahua, describes the result as a rout of the enemy. The town was recaptured, according to the governor. Several thousand men were said to be engaged at Santa Rosalia.

And fighting had been in progress since Thursday. This victory, together with the occupation by Gen. Maas of Saltillo, on his march to Piedras Negras, has encouraged war department officials.

Rebels Badly Routed in Chihuahua.

EL PASO, Tex., October 6.—Additional details of the federal victory at Santa Rosa have been received by Guillermo Porras, personal representative of President Huerta in this city, in a dispatch from Gen. Mercado, military governor

What remained of Villa's army of 4,000 men broke and fled under the final assault of Gen. Castro's 4,700 troops Friday afternoon, and split into two parts, one flying southward and the other retreating to the east.

Suffer Second Defeat.

Gen. Marcelo Caraveo with his command pursued those who fled southward, overtook the flying rebels and forced an

The harassed rebels were again defeated with great loss. The fate of the prisoners who fled with them remains heartening. Gen. Jose Ynez Salazar has been sent to Conchos by Castro before Friday's assault and the fleeing rebels ran into surprise. They suffered severely. At last reports they had swung and joined their comrades in flight southward.

War Munitions Taken.

Gen. Mercado's dispatch reports the capture of many horses, arms and munitions with the taking of Santa Rosalia. In the same dispatch he reports that his army moved forward with Gen. Carvajal and Gen. Landu on the left, Gen. Rojas and Gen. Mancilla on the right and Castro himself on the center. The dispatch reports that the rebels and the federales suffered in taking the town.